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TAGS: ETRN, XK, CS

SUBJECT: CAPPAERT ENTERPRISES

REF: SAN JOSE 3194

1. WELL-KNOWN CREDIT RATING REPORT OF JUNE 12, 1973

GIVES FOLLOWING ON CAPPAERT ENTERPRISES - ADDRESS:

4211 RIFLE RANGE RD., BOX 1044, VICKSBURG, MISS. 39180,

TEL. NO. 601-638-3214, PARTNERS: FRANCIS LEO CAPPAERT AND

MARYLYN (MRS. FRANCIS L.) CAPPAERT. PAYMENTS:UNDETER-

MINED; SALES: \$50 MILLION; WORTH: \$30-40 MILLION; EMPLOYS:

225; CONDITION: GOOD; TREND: STEADY.

2. FARM LAND CO., A PROPRIETORSHIP OF FRANCIS LEO

CAPPAERT STARTED 1950; THE ASSETS OF SPRING MEADOWS,

INC. FORMED JUNE 1966 AND THE ASSETS OF CAPPAERT INVESTMENT

CORP., STARTED JAN.6, 1970. CHARTERS OF SPRING MEADOWS

INC. AND CAPPAERT INVESTMENT CORP. HAVE BEEN DISSOLVED

AND CONTINUE AS DIVISIONS OF FARM LAND CO.

3. OPERATION: AS FARM LAND CO. OPERATES AS GENERAL

FARMER, RAISING RAW CROPS INCLUDING SOYBEANS, ALSO CATTLE

FOR MARKET. AS SPRING MEADOWS IS ENGAGED AS REAL ESTATE

DEVELOPER AND IN CATTLE RAISING AND AS CAPPAERT INVESTMENT

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CO. IS ENGAGED IN INVESTMENT CONCERNS NATIONWIDE. NON

SEASONAL. BRANCHES: METAIRIE, LA. ORANGE GROVE, CALIF.,

HOUSTON, TEXAS. RELATED INTEREST: GUARDON INDUSTRIES INC. ENGAGED IN MANUFACTURE OF MOBILE HOMES, SINCE 1959, 1966 STATEMENT SHOWED \$5.9 MILLION.

4. NO MENTION MADE OF HOLDINGS IN COSTA RICA. MORE COMPLETE INFORMATION BEING POUCHED.

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